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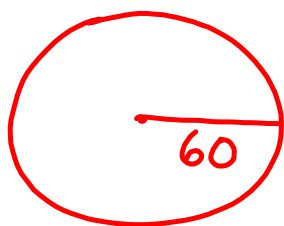
"Its easy to be happy when people do what they're supposed to."- Chris Callahan

HW: Related Rates Word Problems #2

AIM: How do we solve Related Rate problems?

Warm Up:

1. Assume that oil spilled from a ruptured tanker spreads in a circular pattern whose radius increases at a constant rate of 2 ft/sec. How fast is the area of the spill increasing when the radius of the spill is 60 ft?



What We
Know

$$r = 60 \text{ ft}$$

$$\frac{dr}{dt} = 2 \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{s}}$$

What we
need

$$\frac{dA}{dt}$$

What equation relates the information we have/need?

$$A = \pi r^2$$

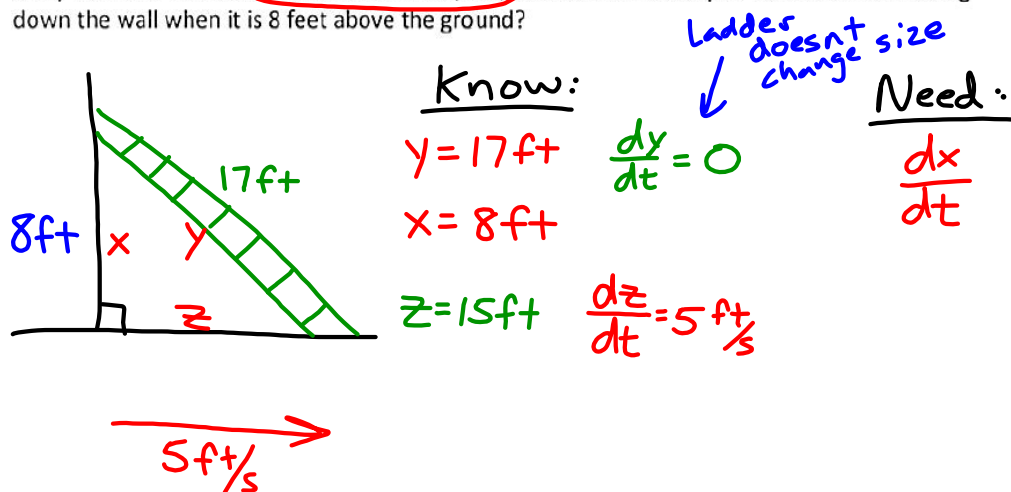
$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 2\pi r \frac{dr}{dt}$$

Plug in
values

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 2\pi (60 \text{ ft}) \left(2 \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{s}} \right)$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 240\pi \frac{\text{ft}^2}{\text{s}}$$

3. A 17-foot ladder is leaning against a wall. If the bottom of the ladder is pulled along the ground away from the wall at a constant rate of 5 ft/sec, how fast will the top of the ladder be moving down the wall when it is 8 feet above the ground?



Know:

$$y = 17 \text{ ft}$$

$$x = 8 \text{ ft}$$

$$z = 15 \text{ ft} \quad \frac{dz}{dt} = 5 \text{ ft/s}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$$

Need:

$$\frac{dx}{dt}$$

What equation relates the need/know?

$$x^2 + z^2 = y^2$$

$$2x \frac{dx}{dt} + 2z \frac{dz}{dt} = 2y \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$2(8) \frac{dx}{dt} + 2(15)(5) = 2(17)(0)$$

$$16 \frac{dx}{dt} + 150 = 0$$

$$16 \frac{dx}{dt} = -150$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{150}{16} = -9.375 \text{ ft/s}$$

Need to find z

$$x^2 + z^2 = y^2$$

$$8^2 + z^2 = 17^2$$

$$64 + z^2 = 289$$

$$z^2 = 225$$

$$z = 15$$

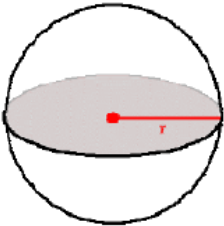
The ladder is moving down the wall @ 9.375 ft/sec

implies negative

Question: A spherical snowball with an outer layer of ice melts so that the *volume* of the snowball decreases at a rate of $2 \text{ cm}^3/\text{min}$.

(a) How *fast is the radius changing* when diameter of the snowball is 10 cm?

(b) How fast is **surface area** of the snowball *decreasing* at this time?

	<p>The <u>volume</u> of a sphere is given by the equation:</p> $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$	<p>The <u>surface area</u> of a sphere is given by the equation:</p> $S = 4\pi r^2$
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2. A spherical balloon is to be deflated so that its radius decreases at a constant rate of 15 cm/min.
At what rate must air be removed when the radius is 9cm?

